

Calculus Warm Up #8-5

Expand the log expression

$$1. \ln\left(\frac{5x^2}{y}\right)^3$$

$$2. \ln \frac{\sqrt{3x-5}}{7x^3}$$

$$3(\ln 5 + 2\ln x - \ln y)$$

$$3\ln 5 + 6\ln x - 3\ln y$$

Condense the log expression

$$3. 2\ln(x+2) - \frac{1}{3}(\ln x + \ln y)$$

$$\ln \frac{(x+2)^2}{\sqrt[3]{xy}}$$

$$4. \frac{1}{5} [3\ln(x+3) + \ln x - \ln(x^2-1)]$$

$$\ln \sqrt[5]{\frac{x(x+3)^3}{x^2-1}}$$

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In Exercises 27–30, find the second derivative of the exponential function.

29. $g(x) = (1 + 2x)e^{4x}$ product rule

$$g'(x) = (1+2x)4e^{4x} + 2(e^{4x})$$

$$2e^{4x}(2+4x+1)$$

$$g'(x) = 2e^{4x}(4x+3)$$

$$g''(x) = 2e^{4x}(4) + (4x+3)8e^{4x}$$

$$e^{4x}(8 + 32x + 24)$$

$$\begin{aligned} g''(x) &= e^{4x}(32x + 32) \\ &= 32e^{4x}(x+1) \end{aligned}$$

In Exercises 31–34, find the extrema and the points of inflection (if any exist) and sketch the graph of the function.

$$31. f(x) = \frac{2}{1 + e^{-x}} \Rightarrow 2(1 + e^{-x})^{-1}$$

$$f'(x) = -2(1 + e^{-x})^{-2}(-e^{-x})$$

$$= \frac{2e^{-x}}{(1 + e^{-x})^2} \quad \text{Always inc.}$$

$$f''(x) = \cancel{2e^{-x}} \left(\cancel{-2(1 + e^{-x})^{-2}} \right) (-e^{-x}) + \left(\cancel{(1 + e^{-x})^{-2}} \right) (-\cancel{2e^{-x}})$$

$$2e^{-x}(1 + e^{-x})^{-3}(2e^{-x} - (1 + e^{-x}))$$

$$0 = \frac{2e^{-x}(1e^{-x} - 1)}{(1 + e^{-x})^3}$$

$$0 \neq 2e^{-x}$$

$$0 = e^{-x} - 1$$

$$1 = \frac{1}{e^x}$$

$$f(0) = \frac{2}{1 + e^0}$$

$$= \frac{2}{2}$$

$$= 1$$

$$x = 0$$

pt of inflection
(0, 1)

In Exercises 31–34, find the extrema $f'(x) \neq 0$ and the points of inflection (if any exist) and sketch the graph of the function. $f''(x) = 0$

product rule

33. $f(x) = x^2 e^{-x}$

$$f'(x) = x^2(-e^{-x}) + 2x(e^{-x})$$

$$= e^{-x}(2x - x^2)$$

$$e^{-x} \neq 0 \quad x(2-x) = 0$$

$$x = 0 \quad x = 2$$

35. Find an equation of the line normal to the graph of $y = e^{-x}$ at $(0, 1)$.

7.5 Derivatives of logarithmic functions

To find $\frac{d}{dx}(\ln x)$

we will use what we know about inverses:

$$f(g(x)) = x \quad \text{if } f \text{ \& } g \text{ are inverses}$$

$$\text{So: } \frac{d}{dx} [f(g(x))] = \frac{d}{dx} [x]$$

$$f'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x) = 1$$
$$g'(x) = \frac{1}{f'(g(x))}$$

$$\text{Let } g(x) = \ln x$$

$$g^{-1}(x) \rightarrow f(x) = e^x$$

$$f'(x) = e^{(x)}$$

Put with our new formula:

$$g'(x) = \frac{1}{f'(g(x))}$$

the slope of f @ (a, b) is reciprocal to the slope of g @ (b, a)

inverses have reciprocal slopes

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\ln x) = \frac{1}{f'(\ln x)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{e^{\ln x}}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \ln x = \frac{1}{x}$$

THEOREM 7.9
DERIVATIVE OF THE NATURAL
LOGARITHMIC FUNCTION

Let u be a differentiable function of x .

$$\frac{d}{dx} [\ln x] = \frac{1}{x}, \quad x > 0$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} [\ln u] = \frac{1}{u} \frac{du}{dx} = \frac{u'}{u}, \quad u > 0$$

Notice: Chain rule applies
 and can't take the log of a negative!

$$\frac{d}{dx} \ln u = \frac{u'}{u}$$

1) $\frac{d}{dx} [\ln (2x)]$ $u=2x$ $u'=2$ 2) $\frac{d}{dx} [\ln (x^2 + 1)]$

$$= \frac{2}{2x}$$

$$= \frac{1}{x}$$

$$= \frac{2x}{x^2 + 1}$$

3) $\frac{d}{dx} [x \ln x]$ product rule

$$= x \cdot \frac{1}{x} + 1 (\ln x)$$

$$= 1 + \ln x$$

EXAMPLE 2 Logarithmic properties as an aid to differentiation

Differentiate

$$f(x) = \ln \sqrt{x+1} = \ln (x+1)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ = \frac{1}{2} \ln (x+1)$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{x+1}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{2(x+1)}$$

EXAMPLE 3 Logarithmic properties as an aid to differentiation

Differentiate

$$f(x) = \ln [x\sqrt{1-x^2}].$$

~~product rule~~ or
properties of logs

$$\ln x + \frac{1}{2} \ln (1-x^2)$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{-2x}{1-x^2} \right)$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{x} \left(\frac{1-x^2}{1-x^2} \right) + \frac{-x}{1-x^2} \left(\frac{x}{x} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1-x^2-x^2}{x(1-x^2)}$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1-2x^2}{x(1-x^2)}$$

EXAMPLE 4 Logarithmic properties as an aid to differentiation

Differentiate

$$f(x) = \ln \frac{x(x^2 + 1)^2}{\sqrt{2x^3 - 1}}.$$

$$f(x) = \ln x + 2 \ln (x^2 + 1) - \frac{1}{2} \ln (2x^3 - 1)$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{x} + 2 \left(\frac{2x}{x^2 + 1} \right) - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\cancel{6}x^2}{2x^3 - 1} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{x} + \frac{4x}{x^2 + 1} - \frac{3x^2}{2x^3 - 1} \quad \text{O, D}$$

lets not put these
fractions together!

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